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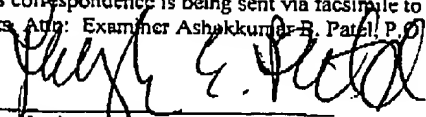
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Application No.:	09/930,659	Group Art Unit:	2154
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Title:	METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR SYNCHRONIZING MOBILE DEVICES		

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment  
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Dear Sir:

No Office Action is currently pending with regard to the Request for Continued Examination. Please consider this Preliminary Amendment in lieu of the attached response transmitted with the Request for Continued Examination:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.

**An Appendix** is attached following page 17, which includes a courtesy set of clean claims for readability.